

Willimantic, Danielson and Putnam

WILLIMANTIC

CRUSHED BY AUTOMOBILE.

Mrs. Amos Clements, of North Coventry, was brought to Dr. L. L. Mason's private hospital in this city on Friday morning, suffering from injuries received at her home Thursday afternoon in a peculiar automobile accident.

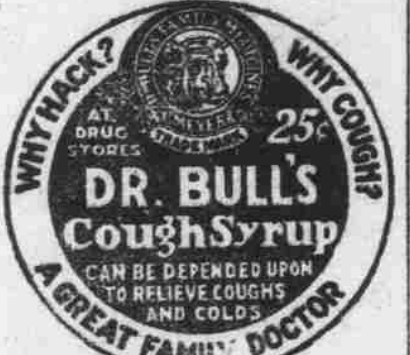
After their noonday meal Thursday, Mrs. Clements and her husband went to the shed on the yard which serves as a garage, and prepared their car for a trip to town which Mrs. Clements was intending to take. Her husband pushed the car out of the shed, and then went about his work.

The car was left with the gears connected, so that when Mrs. Clements started it, it shot forward, pinning her against the corner of the shed in such a position that she could not move or call for help.

When found by her husband about an hour later, she was in a serious condition, the medical examination which followed disclosing a fractured pelvis, bone, ruptured bladder and possibly other internal injuries. Her condition is said to be critical.

Successful Christmas Sale.
The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church brought their annual Christmas sale to a close Friday night after a successful period of two days. The sale was held in Mrs. C. L. Clifton's parlor, with the following in charge: Colored apron table: Miss Addie Webster and Miss Hattie Hoxie. White apron table: Mrs. Charles Bradley and Mrs. Powell. Candy table: Misses Miriam Nuzum, Grace Nichols, Doris Nichols and Lena Loomis. Food table: Mrs. A. C. Scribner, Mrs. C. L. Clifton and Mrs. William E. Webster. Bag table: Mrs. Wesley Morse, Mrs. Sarah Sumner and Mrs. J. H. Bentley. Linen table: Camp Fire Girls, Miss Grace Davoll in charge. Mystery booth: Members of Miss Annie Batters' Sunday school class. Fancy work booth: Sorority, Mrs. Fred Woodward in charge. Ice cream booth: Messrs. Fred Clinton and George Nuzum.

Those in charge of the supper served Thursday evening were: Mrs. W. J. Hastings, Mrs. W. O. Nuzum, Mrs. Charles Ratcliff, Mrs. Fred Swift and Mrs. Hattie Hoxie.



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WILLIMANTIC, CONN.

IGNORE TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Some Citizens Continue to Defy Rules Through Carelessness or Ignorance.

It is likely that the new traffic rules will be more rigorously enforced in the future. There have been a number of occasions lately where individuals have been cautioned two and three times for violations of the same section, and if a person continues to violate the rules after several warnings he certainly deserves no sympathy if he should be compelled to appear in court on the next offense. So far the police authorities have contented themselves with admonitions, and on the whole the plan has worked finely, but those who impose on the good nature of the traffic officers by repeated violations will have to deal with it in a different way.

It is surprising how some of those who use the streets every day show their unfamiliarity with the rules even yet. One prominent man left his car headed the wrong way on one of the side streets leading off Main, and said he thought that provision only applied to Main street.

In regard to the blocking of the sidewalks by teams, one merchant in the district between Union and the railroad tracks on Main street, who is using his side door as a result of the prohibition of loading by backing across the sidewalk, stated Friday that he found the new way very little more convenient than the old, and it was in many ways more satisfactory. When the newness of the rules has worn off, it is likely that many others will come to the same opinion.

OBITUARY.

John L. Chandler.

John Lord Chandler died at the home of his brother-in-law, Frank R. Topf, of Coventry, Friday morning at the age of 81. Maycarditis was the cause of death. The deceased was born in Norwich, Vt., Feb. 18, 1838, the son of Augustus and Lucy (Lord) Chandler. Besides Mrs. Topf, he is survived by one brother, Benjamin C. Chandler of Detroit, Mich.

Christmas Seals on Packages, Etc.
Postmaster Charles H. Dimock has received notice from the department at Washington that the ruling on seals is suspended during this month. This means that seals such as the Red Cross Christmas seals, etc., may be affixed to letters and packages this month. They must not, however, be put on the addressed side.

W. H. S. to Play Monson Academy.
Windham High School opens its basketball season today, journeying to Monson, Mass., for a contest with Monson academy, usually a tough proposition for the locals to defeat. The squad is shy on veterans this year, Cainin Reilly and Cotten being the only two left out of last season's fast bunch. The other positions will probably be filled by Ottenheimer, Enander and Kramer, for the present at least.

W. C. T. U. Elects Officers.
The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held in their rooms on Valley street Friday afternoon. The reports of the president, secretary and treasurer were read and accepted and

showed the past year to have been one of the most successful in the history of the organization in this city. The following officers were re-elected: President, Mrs. Nellie A. Gager; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Jennie P. Scripture; treasurer, Mrs. Ruth Purton. There are six vice presidents, and twelve superintendents of departments to be elected at the next regular meeting.

Brief Mention.

D. F. Clifford has returned to Hartford. J. W. Hillhouse was in Providence Friday. David Mathewson spent Friday in Worcester. Miss Edwige Gilman spent Friday in Putnam. J. Kelley of Norwich, was in this city Friday. Napoleon Leclair spent Friday in Middletown. F. F. Ames of Hartford was a local visitor Friday. James Lawler of Boston was a local visitor Friday. Nelson Gilman was in Putnam on business Friday. Mrs. E. C. Gordon is spending a few days in Worcester. A. E. Aspinwall of Providence is the guest of relatives in this city. A. L. Story of Hartford was here on Friday on his way to Norwich. Attorney General-elect G. E. Hildman, is in New Haven for a few days. Miss Mae Moriarty is attending the funeral of Mrs. Sarah Nash in Hartford.

Miss Letta Pitts has returned from a visit in Bristol, where she was the guest of her brother, C. C. Pitts. Mrs. J. H. Pitts who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Mason at Hayden street returned to Manhampton Friday.

A block of wood thrown by some unknown person broke one of the rear windows in Brick and Sullivan's store Friday.

Mrs. John Pitts has returned to Hampton after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Nason of Hayden street.

F. W. Savies of North Adams arrived in this city Friday to spend the winter at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George S. Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Leander Wright have returned from their wedding trip and are to be week end guests of Mrs. Moor of Eastville, the grandmother of the bride.

John Clifford, a seminarian, who has been visiting at his home in this city for the past month, returned on Friday to Niagara university to continue his studies.

In Hartford Friday were Mrs. F. O. Vinton, L. N. Dondoro, W. A. King, Mrs. G. E. Stevens, Mrs. Louis Kingsbury, Miss Elizabeth Kingsbury, W. B. Knight, J. F. Carlson, W. E. Jackson, A. P. Allen, H. C. Avery, Dr. H. E. F. Keising, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Burr.

The Living Telephone.

Some time after the close of the Franco-German war the Prussian officer for the city of Berlin was exercised in it were a corps of Household Cavalry (Blues at Windsor. They were extended, each some 800 yards from his fellow, many miles of country being covered.

This verbal message was given to the soldier on the extreme right to pass along: "Enemy's vedettes at Englefield Green." It got hopelessly muddled half way.

The amazed officer waiting to receive it got this communication from the trooper on the extreme left: "Englefield's bells peals by the Queen!"—Tit-Bits.

California's state printing office recently sent out 24,000 cards of matter for the use of 1,800,000 voters.

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High School Students Listed For Excellence in Standing For Past Two Months.

Following is the list of students who won highest honors and honors for excellence in studies at Killingly High school during the past eight weeks:

Highest honors: Seniors: Harold Barber, Benjamin Brown, William Casey, Henry Gilbert, Mary Griffith, Helen Heath, Clara Wells. Juniors: Eugene Reed, Raymond Whiston, Boys: Flora Lambert, Anita Mignault.

To attain the rank of highest honors the students must have earned four A's in their studies.

Honors—Seniors: Helena Brette, Arthur Hughes, Claude Jette, Selma Kies, Clarence Peterson, Arthur

DANIELSON

Borough Masons Visit Norwich—Local Boys Hear Wireless Messages to Warships—Death of Mrs. Charles Haescat—High School's Leading Students—Today's Game With Providence Crescents.

Walter L. Hoyle was in Worcester on a business trip Friday. Henry A. Lawton of Pawtucket was in town with Danielson friends on Friday.

Mrs. Clara E. Shippee of Providence is to have charge of the Sunday evening service at the Pentecostal church. Mrs. W. J. Craig was leader at the meeting of the Baptist Women's Missionary societies, with Mrs. Theodore Bailey Friday afternoon.

Miss Florence Bennett of Milbury, Mass., is visiting friends in Danielson. Arthur Whitman of Providence has recently been a visitor with relatives here.

Reports of the picking of dandelion blooms are coming in daily. Rev. A. J. Potter, New Haven, of the Connecticut Temperance union is to speak at the Congregational church Sunday.

Miss Margaret Aylward is confined to her home by illness. Local Masons were in Norwich on Friday afternoon to receive degrees in the commandery.

Popular Musical Comedy.
Three Married Men was the title of the show pleasingly presented by the John Grievs Musical Comedy company at the Orpheum theatre on Friday evening.

Forwarded \$6.46 to Red Cross.
An offering of \$6.46 taken at the Danielson Thanksgiving service at the Baptist church has been forwarded to Red Cross headquarters.

What motive shall govern my Christmas giving? is the subject that was discussed at the meeting of the Epworth league at the Methodist church Sunday evening.

HEARD WIRELESS MESSAGES.

Local Boys Listened to Supposed Communications With British Warships.

Silvio Maynard and John Barstow, local youths who have wireless plants, are among the Connecticut operators who have been interested in listening nights this week to the code radiograms that, it is supposed, are being sent to British warships off the coast from some station in this state for which government officials have sought in vain. The young men listened from 9 until nearly midnight Thursday night.

Those held as being a violation of the neutrality of the United States at the war in Europe. The messages are sent out in a code made of figures.

Officers of U. S. W. V.
W. H. Hamilton camp, United Spanish War Veterans, has elected these officers for the coming year: Commander, Fred E. Kies; senior vice commander, Everett Gay; junior vice commander, Frank Heick; chaplain, H. J. Kosmader; officer of the day, Hosea Greene; officer of the week, John Gilman; trustee for three years, Frank E. Young; quartermaster, W. C. Bates; and secretary, Silvanus. The officers are to be installed at the January meeting of the organization.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Charles Haescat.
The late Mrs. Emily Young Haescat, wife of Charles Haescat, died Thursday in a Springfield, Mass. hospital after an illness of about one week with pneumonia was brought to Danielson Friday afternoon. Mrs. Haescat was a native of Danielson, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Abner Young of Main street. Mrs. Haescat had been a resident of Springfield for a number of years. She leaves her husband and a brother, George, of Woonsocket.

HONOR PUPILS.

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THREE DIVORCES GRANTED

Alfred E. White of Putnam Sits in Court While His Wife, Annie, Describes Him as a Boozing Fiend.

Bursts of tears from unhappy plaintiffs marked the trial of uncontested divorce cases in the superior court here Friday, Judge Joel H. Reed presiding. The wedding was induced as the women who cried out of abuses to which they had been subjected by brutal husbands. There were eight such cases listed for trial, but only three were ready for hearing. All the plaintiffs were women, mostly young women, and the tales of ill treatment told and to be told in the cases yet to be tried were harrowing in detail and of a nature to give one reason for indulging in due consideration before assuming the bonds of matrimony.

Annie C. White of Plainfield was granted a divorce from Alfred E. White of this city on the grounds of Intemperance. While not contesting the case, Mr. White sat among the spectators in court and heard the recital of his wife and the other women who testified.

The couple were married May 17, 1902. They lived in Plainfield and Putnam. Mrs. White testified that her husband was habitually intemperate, that he subjected her to physical abuse, once when she would not agree to leaving with a man whom her husband represented was willing to pay \$5 for the privilege. She said her husband struck her to the door.

William H. Longdon, formerly chief of police in Putnam, and J. H. Adams of Central Village testified as to White's being habitually intemperate. Alice Aams, a neighbor in Plainfield, was another witness for the plaintiff.

Mrs. White said she had lived apart from her husband for the past six years and has since supported her three boys. There is another child, a little girl. Mrs. White was given the custody of the boys, supported by her since the separation with her husband occurred. Attorney T. E. Babcock of Plainfield was counsel for Mrs. White.

II-Tempered Henry Marrott's Wife Dies and Dying Baby

A story of outrageous treatment of herself was told by Cleora A. Marrott from Henry Marrott on the ground of intolerable cruelty. The couple were married in the town of Windham in 1904. Thereafter they lived for a time

Reeves, Lillian Teatroult, Beatrice Vachon, George Williams, Juniors: Joseph Norton, Sophomores: John Anderson, Dorothy Blake, Harold Burgess, Stella Havens, Esther Kimball, Alice Wells, Emily Williams. Freshmen: Walter Arnold, Wellington Blinwood, Mary Caffrey, Mildred Chase, Ada French, Thelma Garland, Lila Harris, Hazel Barlow, John O'Neill.

To Play Providence Crescents.
Killingly High School's basketball team will play its second regular game of the season here (Saturday) afternoon with the Crescents of Providence as opponents. The Crescents' team is made up of college players in and around Providence, so a very fast game is expected. The game today was played with the Crescents in Plainfield, defeating here in the opening game of the season, but this game has been postponed. The local team is expected to develop into a very able body of players, though it had no game sufficiently strenuous to try out its mettle as yet.

Average Cow Valuation \$40.
An average valuation of \$40 per cow has been fixed by the assessors this year in levying tax on cattle owned in the town of Killingly. Previously the cows have been taxed at an average of about \$25 per cow. There are exceptions this year, of course, where the value of old cows is not in line with that of the new ones.

The assessors consulted with various parties having knowledge of cow values before deciding to advance the rate, which has been objected to by some owners of cattle. According to information furnished to the board of assessors, the \$40 rate is not too high, based on times that cows have been selling at in this town during the past year.

PUTNAM
Japanese Bazaar at Congregational Church—Divorces Granted Wives of Alfred E. White, Henry Marrott and Charles S. Doane—Hearing in Quindnick-Windham Case Set for Dec. 18.

Miss Minnie Diamond is visiting with friends in Woonsocket for a few days. Fayette L. Wright of Pomfret has gone to Clearwater, Fla., to remain for the winter.

Attorney Andrew J. Bowen of Willimantic was a visitor in Putnam Friday.

Sent to Jail.
Judge J. Harry Mann presided at a session of the city court Friday morning. A prisoner was sent to jail for 30 days.

Rev. Wallace Stearns, Springfield, formerly of this city, is to be pastor of a Congregational church at Hampton, N. H.

Mrs. C. D. Sharpe is to have the members of the King's Daughters at her home for their annual meeting next Wednesday.

Attorney General John H. Light's opinion on the taking of a deer at the time of the annual meeting of the officers of the Quinebaug Lodge.

The city's business center will be made brilliant with extra street lights during the holiday season.

A number of Putnam grange members will be at Danielson today (Saturday) for the meeting of the Potomac grange.

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Local attorneys have been invited to participate in the conferring of a degree in the Masonic lodge at Danielson on the afternoon of January 1.

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Deposits	1,735,743.71
Surplus and Profits	78,522.97

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President, J. ARTHUR ATWOOD Vice-President, W. H. BURNHAM
Secretary and Treasurer, CLARENCE A. POTTER

In Willimantic, then in Worcester, again in Willimantic and still later in Worcester, also for a time in Schenectady. Marrott was described as having an extremely violent temper and apparently no means of controlling it. He would fly into a rage on very slight provocation and at such times his wife said he beat her cruelly, leaving marks of his punishment upon her body.

Mrs. Marrott told of one occasion when he attacked her after coming into their home in Worcester about midnight because she inquired why he asked out as late when he could have been at home. She described how he drove her and the child out of the house and forced them to spend the night at her sister's, also a resident in the city.

At various times there were separations, but upon Marrott's promise to do better she had returned to him. In Schenectady one night he put her out of bed and threw her down a flight of stairs, she said, causing a severe injury to her head.

Mrs. Marrott's attorney married life contained numerous incidents, to which she referred, of abuse by her husband. One night after they had been reconciled after a period of separation he agreeing to mend his ways, he struck the baby, which Mrs. Marrott said was dying at the time, because it cried during the night. The baby had been sick in a hospital previous to this and died eventually.

Mrs. Marrott also testified that on one occasion Marrott threatened to cut her throat with a butcher knife. She said her husband was not a drinking man, but of very ugly disposition. She left him finally in 1909. The decree was granted by Judge Reed, P. J. Deane, of New York City, was counsel for Mrs. Marrott.

CHARLES S. DOANE PUT HIS AILING WIFE OUT

The last divorce of the day was granted Grace L. Doane, Willimantic and New York, from Charles S. Doane, a resident of Jersey City, N. J. Mrs. Doane was married September 18, 1905, by Rev. J. H. Newlands, in Willimantic. They went to New York to live.

Mrs. Doane said that on the night of September 7, 1910, her husband returned to their home in New York and beat her and put her out of the house. She was in poor health at the time. She was obliged to spend the remainder of her life in a hospital. A friend, Mrs. Nason, who later gave corroborative testimony, and two days later returned to her home in Willimantic. For days after her husband put her out her arms and body showed marks of the blows she received, she said.

Sarah E. Gordon, Windham, mother of the plaintiff, testified in her daughter's behalf. Mrs. Doane gave way to her emotions and wept as she told of her experience. The decree was granted with change of name. Attorney S. S. Harvey represented Mrs. Doane as counsel.

QUINDICK-WINDHAM HEARING

Set for December 18th—All Creditors and Stockholders to be Notified.

In the case of the Rhode Island Hospital Trust company, a creditor, vs. the Quindick-Windham Manufacturing company, with mills at Quindick, B. and Willimantic, Attorneys Charles E. Perkins of Hartford appeared to file a motion for a hearing at Willimantic December 18 relative to the discharge of the temporary receiver of the company.

Mr. Perkins stated that "we can assure everybody that a reorganization of the concern will be completed. Of the \$350,000 in claims against the company, Attorney Perkins said holders of all but about \$7,000 of the amount of claims will receive a first mortgage on the property of the mill company as security and ask for the discharge of the temporary receiver so that the business could go back into the hands of the corporation. The motion was granted by the court and it was ordered that a notice of the coming hearing be given to all creditors and stockholders before December 11. Practically all of the Connecticut creditors of the company are resident in Willimantic, Mr. Perkins said.

Trustee's Account \$1,200.69
In the case of William Howard White's appeal from probate, a motion for more specific statement of reasons of appeal was argued by Attorney Charles L. Torrey for the appellant. Attorney Charles E. Searis, for the appellee, presenting another motion to strike the appellant's motion from the files. The latter motion was granted by the court. The appeal is

from an allowance of the account of a trustee of an estate in the town of Thompson, the claim being that the account of John F. Gosh as the trustee of the estate of Aaron White, is excessive and illegal. The trustee's account amounts to \$12,069.69.

In the case of Dr. J. Phillips, et al., vs. Jonathan S. Smith, East Killingly, a claim for a grain and grocery bill, judgment for the plaintiff in the amount of \$140.88 was ordered and entered.

L. H. Healey Granted Record.
Through Attorney Charles L. Torrey, Deputy Sheriff Leonard H. Healey of North Woodstock appeared to claim the reward provided for in the laws of the state for the apprehension of a chicken thief. Mr. Healey, after much time and trouble, arrested Charles L. Minard in September from the Arthur Potter place in Woodstock. Minard has since been tried for the offense and sentenced to serve from one to three years in the state prison. Mr. Healey was allowed \$50 by the court.

An order for default was entered at the order of the court in the case of C. F. Sullivan & Co. vs. L. M. Glover and company. The judgment in favor of the Sullivan firm was for \$200.90. Attorney J. F. Carpenter represented the plaintiff company.

Court in the case of December 18 at 10 o'clock at Willimantic.

Castles of the Dardanelles

What are, or what is, the Dardanelles? The name seems to have had its origin long before we had ceased to think of the watery boundary between Europe and Asia as the Hellespont. The strait was at first defended by four castles (two on each side) about twenty miles apart—the Old and the New Castles. These four castles were known as the Dardanelles, and from the castles the strait got a new name.

But before the Crimean War newer fortifications were built, which for a long time usurped the name, so that when military strategists talked at large, the Dardanelles came to mean these wonderful new forts. How wonderful they appeared in the first half of the nineteenth century one can gather from a contemporary history, which declares: "Among them are several immense guns from which stone shot are discharged. The quantity of powder which these guns require is enormous; the largest is charged with 350 pounds." Such stone shot would hardly manage to do humanity today. London Chronicle.

With or Without a Salute.

The thought must occasionally force itself into the White House that iron rule of Huerta, was after all, just what the Mexican people require. —Kansas City Journal.